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In re Application of: Kaminsky, et al. Serial No.: 09/699,533)
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Filed:	October 30, 2000)
For:	Automated Trading Exchange System And Method Utilizing a Randomized Opening Procedures)))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

In regard to the above identified application:

- 1. We are transmitting herewith the attached:
 - a. Response to Office Action mailed February 7, 2005; and
 - b. Return Receipt Postcard.
- 2. With respect to additional fees:
 - a. No Fees are due at this time.
 - b. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No.13-2490.
- 3. CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER 37 CFR § 1.8: The undersigned hereby certifies that this Transmittal Letter and the papers, as described in paragraph 1 hereinabove, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on May 9, 2005.

Respectfully submitted.

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RESPONSE TO THE OFFICE ACTION MAILED MARCH 26, 2004

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action of March 26, 2004, please amend the identified application as follows:

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.